## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Jawed Asrar and Jean Pierre

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For: PHA COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THEIR USE IN THE

PRODUCTION OF PHA FILMS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action mailed on November 29, 2005, the Advisory

Action mailed on March 9, 2006, and the telephonic interview with the Examiner on April 6,

2006, please amend the application as follows. A Notice of Appeal and a one month extension
of time were filed on March 28, 2006. Submitted with this Amendment is a Request for

Continued Examination. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$ 790.00, the fee for
filing a Request for Continued Examination for a large entity, to Deposit Account No. 50-3129.

It is believed that no additional fee is required with this submission. However, should an additional fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-3129.

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